

Office of the Governor
State of Missouri

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Missouri State Representative Randy Pike was born in Butler, Missouri; and

WHEREAS, elected to his first two-year term in 2012, Representative Pike represented all of Vernon County and most of Bates County (District 126) in the Missouri House of Representatives until his passing on September 20, 2014; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his legislative duties, Representative Pike served as the Bates County Northern District Commissioner from 2000 to 2012; and

WHEREAS, Representative Pike was a member of the Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Optimist Club, NRA, Ducks Unlimited, Turkey Federation, Missouri Cattlemen's Association, Missouri Farm Bureau and United Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, Representative Pike served as President for the Adrian Chamber of Commerce and the Butler Lions Club, as well as on the Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission and the Kaysinger Basin Rural Conservation & Development Committee.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, as a mark of respect for the death of

STATE REPRESENTATIVE RANDY PIKE

for his service to the State of Missouri, do hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of Missouri shall be immediately lowered to half-staff at all government buildings in Vernon, Bates and Cole counties until September 25, 2014, the date of his interment, from sunrise to sunset. I further order the flag of the United States and the flag of Missouri to be flown at half-staff at all government buildings statewide on September 25, 2014, from sunrise to sunset.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 22nd day of September, 2014.

Attest:



Jeremiah W. (Jax) Nixon

Governor

Secretary of State